

## How to Embed H5P content

There are two basic steps involved in embedding H5P content into an existing activity/resource:

1. Create and save the H5P content in the **Content bank**  
*The Content bank is a Moodle/OpenLMS feature used for storing H5P content files.*
2. **Embed** the .h5p file you created into an existing activity/resource  
*The most common activities/resources used to embed H5P content into are pages, lessons, books, and labels.*

### Step 1: How to create and save the H5P content in the Content bank

The screenshot shows the Moodle course administration interface. On the right, the 'My Courses' sidebar is visible, with the 'Content bank' option highlighted. A red box and arrow point to the 'Content bank' option. In the center, the 'Add' button is highlighted with a red box and arrow. Below it, a dropdown menu shows various H5P content types, with 'Accordion' selected. A red box and arrow point to this dropdown. At the bottom, the 'Flashcards' form is shown, with several fields highlighted by yellow boxes and black arrows: 'Title', 'Task description', 'Question', 'Answer', 'Image', and 'Alternative text for image'. A red box and arrow point to the 'Save' button at the bottom left.

Open the **Content bank** from the Course administration gear icon.

Click **Add** to choose the type of H5P content you want to create.

Choose the type of H5P content you want to create. If you need help deciding which one to choose, [click here](#) for an explanation about each type and a demo.

Title is what appears as the link on your course page.

Task description is what students see above the H5P content.

Many of the H5P content types allow you to add images. If you do, include a description of the image for those with vision accessibility issues.

This is where you insert the content. (Example is for a Flashcards type of H5P content.)


Click **Save** after adding the H5P content.

Close when done.

Edit

Close

It is now in the Content bank along with other H5P content you may have created previously in the Content bank.

Search	Q	Add	Upload		
Content name	Last modified	Size	Type		
 Review terminology from Chapter 1	05/19/21, 07:21	651.3KB	Archive (H5P)		

## Step 2: How to embed the H5P content file into an existing activity/resource

Once you have created an H5P file and saved it in your Content Bank, you can embed it into any activity or resource that has a text editing window. The example below embeds it into a Page resource. The steps are the same for any other activity or resource.

**Note:** It is possible that the H5P button you need to embed is only available in the sandbox.

Position your insertion point (cursor) where you want the H5P content to be embedded.



Watch this 10 minute video to learn more about H5P.



You learned a lot of new terminology from the video. Work with the flashcards below to see how much you understand. You have to put in the answer you think is right before you can see the correct answer.

Click the **H5P** button in the text editor toolbar. (This button is currently available only in the sandbox.)

Insert H5P

You can insert H5P content by **either** entering a URL **or** by uploading an H5P file.

H5P URL or file upload

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[Insert H5P](#)

Click **Browse repositories**

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**Content bank**

Click **Content bank**

Name	Last modified	Size	Type
<a href="#">Review terminology from Chapter 1</a>	05/19/21, 07:21	651.3KB	Archive (H5P)

Click the H5P file you want to embed.

Select Review terminology from Chapter 1

☐ Make a copy of the file


☒ Create an alias/shortcut to the file

Save as

Author

Choose license

[Select this file](#) [Cancel](#)

 Last modified: May 19 2021, 7:21 AM  
Created: May 19 2021, 7:21 AM  
Size: 651.3KB  
Licence:  
Author:

Select **Create an alias/shortcut to the file.**

*By choosing this, If you go back to the Content bank and edit the H5P file anytime you need to, it will automatically update it wherever the file is embedded.*

Click **Select this file**

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This appears showing where the H5P was embedded.

Save and return to course

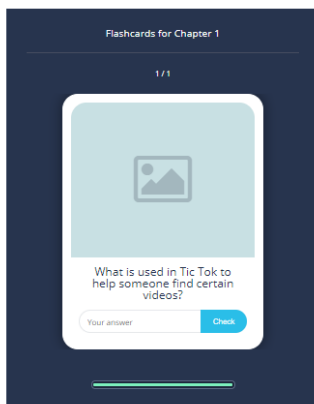
Cancel

Click **Save and return to course**

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When you are back on the course page, you will see the actual H5P content as it appears to the students.